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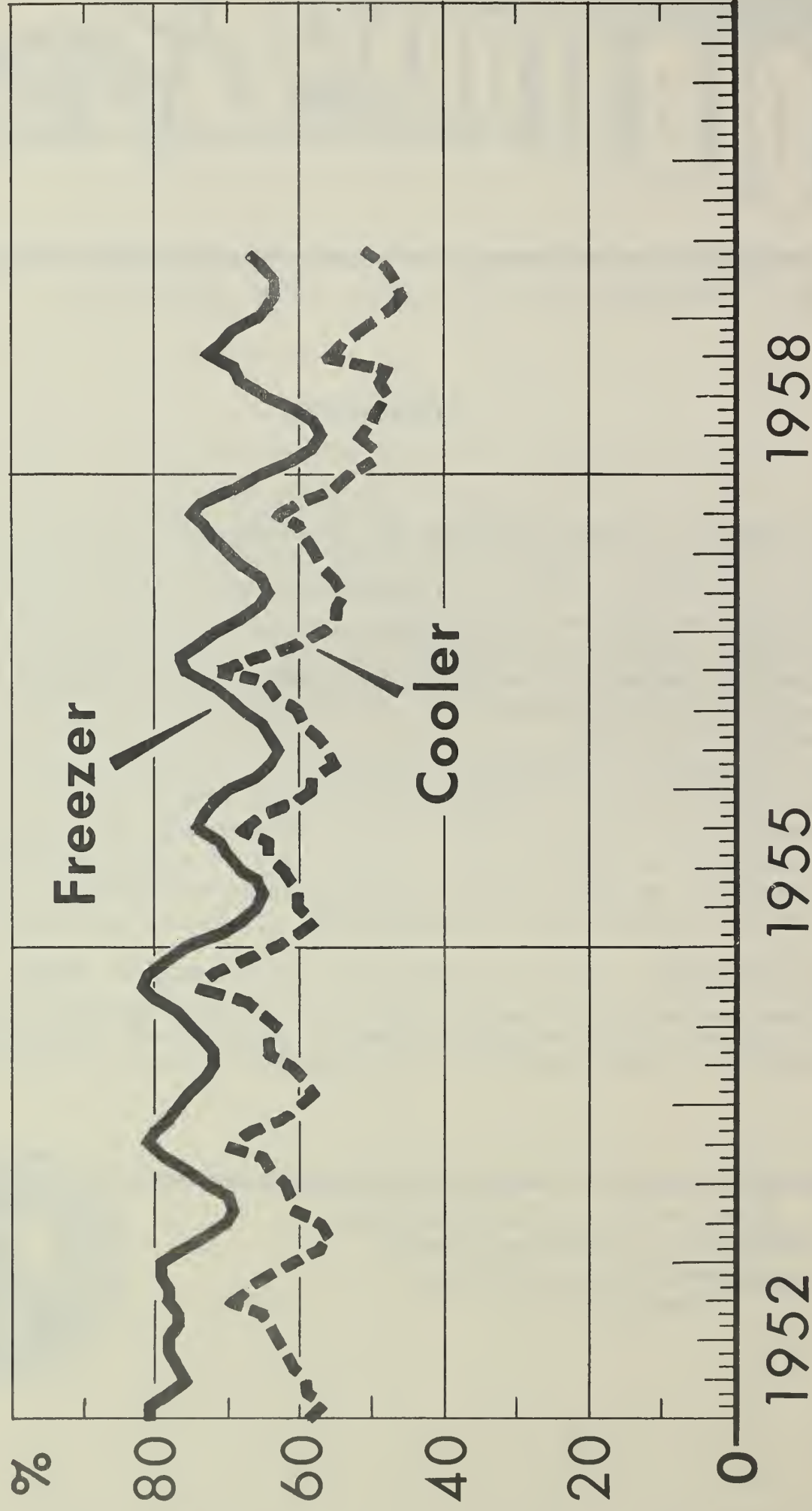
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[Data for this report are collected from public, private, and semiprivate warehouses, apple houses, and meat-packing plants where food products are generally stored for 30 days or more. Commodities in space owned or leased and operated by the armed services are not reported. All June 30, figures are preliminary.]

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PERCENTAGE OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC COLD-STORAGE WAREHOUSES



END OF MONTH OCCUPANCY

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E R R A T A

The following changes should be made in recent Crop Reporting Board Report:

COLD STORAGE REPORT: July 15th release of storage stocks in
refrigerated warehouses on June 30, 1959.

		<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>
		<u>Thousand pounds</u>	
Page 5	Frozen strawberries	189,013	196,302
	Total frozen fruits	353,461	360,750
	Frozen green peas	140,233	147,103
	Total frozen vegetables	588,388	595,258
Page 6	American Cheddar cheese	300,600	306,232
	Swiss, including block	14,212	9,014
Page 8	Frozen beef	132,709	151,820
	Total beef	150,848	169,959
	Frozen pork bellies	89,702	96,814
	Other frozen pork cuts	97,497	105,724
	Total frozen pork	233,828	249,167
	Other dry salt pork	6,790	9,786
	Total pork in cure or cured	54,412	57,408
	Total pork	288,240	306,575
	Canned meats	69,052	74,845
	Total all meats	532,696	575,935

Regional tables have not been corrected in order not to delay further the mailing of this report. Anyone especially needing regional corrections for any of these items may secure them by request to Agricultural Estimates Division, Special Statistics Branch.

Crop Reporting Board

COLD STORAGE REPORT, JULY 1, 1959

Commodity summary

Mid-year stocks of orange concentrate were the largest on record, according to reports received by the Crop Reporting Board. Stocks totaled 46.5 million gallons on July 1, compared with 34 million a year earlier and 39 million, the 1954-59 average for this time of year. Stocks of frozen poultry declined as expected during June but less than average and less than a year earlier. As a result, July 1 stocks of almost 197 million pounds were unseasonably high for the date. These supplies were about two-fifths larger than average and a year earlier. Warehouse stocks of turkeys were worked down to 65 million pounds or about 19 percent under a year earlier, yet these stocks were still 3 percent larger than average for July 1. Frozen vegetable stocks moved contraseasonally during the month. A 5 million-pound downturn brought stocks to 588 million pounds. This is in contrast to a 14 million-pound gain during June 1958 and an average June increase of 27 million pounds. July 1 stocks of frozen vegetables were 7 percent above a year earlier and 15 percent above average. The net June into-storage movement of frozen fruits totaled 67 million pounds. This seasonal gain was about 40 percent less than a year earlier and 8 percent short of average. Stocks, which totaled 353 million pounds compare with 426 million on July 1, 1958 and average July 1 holdings of 328 million pounds. Warehouse stocks of cream, up 8 million from a month earlier, amounted to 26 million pounds on July 1. Holdings of American cheese were increased to 301 million pounds, a gain of 28 million over the previous month's holdings. Stocks of butter totaled 135 million pounds or 21 percent less than a year earlier and 45 percent less than average July 1 stocks. The June gain in shell egg holdings was light compared with previous performance. The 51,000 case gain brought holdings up to a little more than 1 million cases. Last year the June increase was 147,000 cases while 198,000 is average. Red meat holdings, at 533 million pounds, were more than one-third larger than a year earlier and 3 percent more than average.

General commodity movement

Refrigerated stocks in warehouses totaled 4.1 billion pounds on July 1. Of this total, 1.3 billion was cooler-stored. Stocks of most cooler-held products were reduced during the month except for shelled nuts, evaporated and condensed milk, cheese, eggs, and beef. Freezer stocks were up slightly by July 1. A 50 million-pound net gain brought the total to 2.8 billion pounds. Stock gains were reported only for cream, butter, eggs, fruits, and juices as all other freezer-stored stocks were reduced during the month.

Storage occupancy

Utilization of both cooler and freezer space in public refrigerated warehouses increased 2 percentage points during June. Cooler occupancy, at 51 percent on July 1, was 2 points above a year earlier but 7 points below average. The occupancy of cooler space in Middle Atlantic States remained unchanged from a month earlier while the South Atlantic and Mountain States were down 2 and 3 points, respectively. However, all other regions increased from 2 to 5 points. Freezer occupancy was 67 percent on July 1. Although this equaled the 1954-58 average, it was 6 points above a year earlier. Pacific States, up 5 percentage points, accounted for most of the increase in freezer occupancy. However, Middle Atlantic, East North Central, South Atlantic, and East South Central States also showed increased utilization during June.

Dairy products

Cream stocks, increased by 8 million pounds during June, totaled 26 million on July 1. Stocks totaled 31 million pounds a year earlier and average stocks are 31 million. American cheese stocks totaled 301 million pounds on July 1 for a net gain of 28 million during June. A year earlier, stocks totaled 316 million pounds. Average stocks are 461 million. A seasonal net gain of 31 million pounds in butter stocks during June brought total holdings to 135 million on July 1. This was 21 percent below holdings a year earlier and 45 percent below average.

Poultry products

A 2 million-pound reduction in total poultry meats left 197 million pounds in storage on July 1. These stocks were 41 percent above a year earlier and average. Turkey stocks totaling 65 million pounds on July 1 compare with 80 million pounds in storage last year this date and average stocks of 64 million pounds. Broiler or fryer stocks at 24 million pounds on July 1 reflected a small reduction from a month earlier. Stocks totaled 15 million pounds a year earlier. Average stocks are 16 million pounds. Hen (fowl) stocks, up 1 million pounds from a month earlier, totaled 59 million on July 1, thus continuing to be at a record stock level for this time of year. Shell egg stock increased by 51,000 cases during June. A year earlier 147,000 cases were moved into storage. The average net in-movement is 198,000 cases. Stocks totaled 1,055,000 cases on July 1. This was 24 percent above stocks held a year earlier but 34 percent below average. Frozen egg stocks totaled 151 million pounds on July 1 for a net gain of 32 million pounds during June. Holdings totaled 134 million pounds on July 1, 1958. The 1954-58 average stocks are 171 million pounds.

Fruits, vegetables, and juices

Stocks of fresh apples still in storage on July 1 were unusually high for this time of year, totaling 1.5 million bushels. The start of the new storage season for frozen fruits brought a 67 million-pound net increase in stocks which raised warehouse holdings to 353 million pounds. Compared with holdings of a year earlier, current stocks were 17 percent less but 8 percent larger than average. Practically, all of the gain in fruit holdings was accounted for by a 95 million-pound increase in stocks of strawberries which totaled 189 million pounds by July 1. Stocks of boysenberries and apricots were the only other fruit items that increased during June. For all other fruit items, seasonal withdrawals lowered warehouse holdings in varying amounts. Stocks of cherries were reduced the most, 8 million pounds, leaving 21 million in storage on July 1. Previous storage patterns indicate June gains in stocks of frozen vegetables. This year a contraseasonal movement lowered warehouse stocks by 5 million pounds, leaving 588 million on hand by July 1. These supplies were 15 percent larger than average and 7 percent above the stocks of a year earlier. Stock reductions in lima beans, snap beans, broccoli, and sprouts were heavier than a year earlier and offset seasonal gains in stocks of the other vegetable items. Frozen peas totaled 140 million pounds, up 55 million from a month earlier. These stocks were 18 percent smaller than a year earlier but 8 percent larger than average. Orange concentrate stocks were at a record 46.5 million-gallon total. A 3 million-gallon June gain raised stocks to this level and stands in contrast to a 4 million-gallon reduction during June 1958. On July 1, 1958, stocks amounted to 34 million gallons. Average holdings for July 1 are 39 million gallons.

Meat and meat products

A 114 million-pound reduction in red meats during June left 533 million in storage on July 1. A year earlier 396 million pounds were in storage while average stocks are 519 million. Beef stocks were reduced by 22 million pounds during June--about twice the average net reduction--contrasted with a net gain of 8 million a year earlier. Stocks totaled 151 million pounds on July 1. This was 39 percent above a year earlier and 30 percent above average. Pork stocks were reduced by 77 million pounds during June and compare with net reductions of 33 million a year earlier and 56 million, the average. Holdings were down to 288 million pounds on July 1, 37 percent above a year earlier but 10 percent below average. Most of the reductions in pork stocks were in frozen pork cuts, down 74 million pounds. By specific frozen cuts, picnics were down 3 million; hams, down 18 million; bellies, down 31 million.

Table 1. --Net changes in storage holdings during June (1)

Cooler commodities	Holdings June 30, 1959	June net change		Freezer commodities	Holdings June 30, 1959	June net change	
		Quantity	Pct.			Quantity	Pct.
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Pct.		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Pct.
Apples	75,216	- 111,648	60	Cream.	25,589	7,623	42
Pears.	750	- 4,850	87	Butter, creamery	134,981	30,843	30
Other fresh fruits	10,339	2,219	27	Eggs	151,344	32,071	27
Fresh vegetables .	36,744	- 23,861	39	Poultry.	196,905	- 2,132	1
Dried & Evap. fts.	38,495	- 2,537	6				
Nutmeats	270,291	25,421	10	Fruits	353,461	67,415	24
Nuts in shell. . .	45,886	- 3,619	7	Juices	612,514	17,033	3
Other dairy prod.	39,519	17,860	82				
Cheese	340,671	30,564	10	Vegetables . . .	588,388	- 4,946	1
Shell eggs	49,374	2,387	5				
				Beef	132,709	- 22,936	15
Beef	18,139	588	3	Pork	233,828	- 73,684	24
Pork	54,412	- 3,436	6	Other meats . .	24,556	- 2,549	9
Canned meats . . .	69,052	- 11,807	15				
Miscellaneous. . .	296,655	- 35,998	11	Miscellaneous. .	341,744	1,712	1
Total	1,345,543	-118,717	8	Total	2,796,019	50,450	2

(1) For a detailed breakdown see the tables that follow.

Tree Nuts in Cold Storage, June 30, 1959 (1)

Kinds	Nutmeats		In shell	
	1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.	
Almonds	8,972		411	
Filberts	1,128		634	
Walnuts (English)	15,386		18,813	
Other tree nuts	14,083		22,873	
Total	39,569		42,731	

(1) Includes stocks in warehouses artificially cooled to temperatures of 50° F. or lower. Tree nut stocks in warehouses artificially cooled to temperatures above 50° F. or in warehouses not artificially cooled or in wholesaler and jobber warehouses used for holding products less than 30 days are not included.

Table 2. — End-of-month stocks of fruits, vegetables, and nuts

Net changes in stocks during June and comparisons:

Fresh apples: Decreased by 2 million bushels; June 1958 decrease was 1 million bushels; average June decrease is 1 million bushels.

Fresh pears: Decreased by 97 thousand bushels; June 1958 decrease was 54 thousand bushels; average June decrease is 24 thousand bushels.

Commodity	Unit	June 1954-58 av.	June 1958	May 1959	June 1959
		Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Apples, fresh:					
Western (1)	Standard boxes	257	231		
Western	Other containers	2	1	(1)	(1)
Eastern	Bushel baskets	66	43		
Eastern	Other containers	65	89		
Total	Bushel	(2) 390	364	3,893	1,567
Pears, fresh:					
Bartletts	Boxes, baskets, etc.	6	28	5	1
Bartletts	L. A. lugs	(3)	-	-	-
Other varieties	Boxes, baskets, etc.	9	8	98	14
Other varieties	L. A. lugs	(3)	5	14	-
Total	Boxes, baskets, etc.	(4) 15	41	117	15
Other fruits, vegetables, and nuts:					
Fresh grapes	Pound	143	15	556	415
Other fresh fruits	do.	13,610	9,280	7,564	9,924
Dried & evaporated fruits	do.	41,833	37,006	41,032	38,495
Onions	do.	1,809	2,352	4,271	2,061
Celery	do.	277	422	154	110
Other fresh vegetables	do.	37,592	40,418	56,180	34,573
Nut meats, peanuts	do.	111,280	171,536	202,871	230,722
Nut meats, other nuts	do.	41,750	43,430	41,999	39,569
Peanuts, in shell	do.	8,560	11,720	2,050	3,155
Other nuts, in shell	do.	43,700	40,617	47,455	42,731

(1) Not reported separately after December 31, 1958.

(2) Not comparable.

(3) Not reported separately prior to January 31, 1956.

(4) In terms of bushels.

Table 3. — End-of-month stocks of frozen fruits and vegetables

Net changes in stocks during June and comparisons:

Frozen fruits: Increased by 67 million pounds; June 1958 increase was 109 million pounds; average June increase is 73 million pounds.

Frozen vegetables: Decreased by 5 million pounds; June 1958 change was an increase of 14 million pounds; average June change is an increase of 27 million pounds.

Frozen orange juice: Increased by 3 million gallons; June 1958 change was a decrease of 4 million gallons; average June change is a decrease of 1 million gallons.

Commodity	June 1954-58 av. 1,000 pounds	June 1958 1,000 pounds	May 1959 1,000 pounds	June 1959 1,000 pounds
Fruits, frozen:				
Apples	31,616	37,284	45,659	39,218
Apricots	3,088	2,965	3,252	4,292
Blackberries	7,286	12,122	9,648	7,968
Blueberries	7,906	9,383	11,602	7,479
Boysenberries	(1)	(1)	8,704	14,395
Cherries	19,197	28,050	28,709	21,194
Grapes	6,495	4,547	7,676	6,497
Peaches	15,341	16,408	20,775	16,134
Raspberries, red	(2)(16,854)	(2)(29,463)	10,255	8,463
Raspberries, black	173,142	229,329	6,917	6,112
Strawberries	47,512	56,371	93,761	189,013
All other fruits	328,437	425,922	39,088	32,696
Total	328,437	425,922	286,046	353,461
Juices, frozen:				
Orange juice	385,932	338,541	435,581	460,392
Gallons equivalent (3)	38,983	34,196	43,998	46,504
Other fruit juices and purees	129,337	125,527	159,900	152,122
Vegetables, frozen:				
Asparagus	29,382	30,437	25,372	31,832
Beans, lima	44,890	48,495	53,361	41,393
Beans, snap	28,464	24,592	37,393	30,935
Broccoli	32,090	28,159	50,219	41,857
Brussels sprouts	14,262	12,814	14,523	11,565
Carrots	(1)	(1)	17,069	13,958
Cauliflower	12,463	9,284	12,163	10,965
Corn, sweet	30,422	27,087	30,745	21,182
Mixed vegetables	(1)	16,901	16,604	13,535
Peas, green	129,963	170,954	84,513	140,233
Peas and carrots, mixed	(1)	9,009	12,114	10,792
Potatoes, french fried	(1)	66,279	104,435	86,839
Spinach	55,537	46,975	68,302	74,257
All other vegetables	132,797	59,092	66,521	59,045
Total	510,270	550,078	593,334	588,388

(1) Not available. (2) Red and black combined.
(3) Converted on the basis of 9.9 pounds per gallon.

Table 4. — End-of-month stocks of dairy and poultry products

Net changes in stocks during June and comparisons:

Cream: Increased by 8 million pounds; June 1958 increase was 11 million pounds; average June increase is 10 million pounds.

Butter: Increased by 31 million pounds; June 1958 increase was 35 million pounds; average June increase is 38 million pounds.

Cheese: Increased by 31 million pounds; June 1958 increase was 23 million pounds; average June increase is 39 million pounds.

Shell eggs: Increased by 51 thousand cases; June 1958 increase was 147 thousand cases; average June increase is 198 thousand cases.

Frozen eggs: Increased by 32 million pounds; June 1958 increase was 34 million pounds; average June increase is 27 million pounds.

Frozen poultry: Decreased by 2 million pounds; June 1958 decrease was 6 million pounds; average June decrease is 9 million pounds.

Commodity	Unit	June 1954-58 av. Thou.	June 1958 Thou.	May 1959 Thou.	June 1959 Thou.
Cream, milk, and butter:					
Fluid cream	Pound	25,300	25,878	15,355	21,737
Plastic cream (75-85% butterfat)	do.	5,302	5,079	2,611	3,852
Condensed milk (bulk)	do.	13,968	10,867	5,219	7,886
Evap. and Cond. milk (case goods)	do.	47,958	29,878	16,440	31,633
Butter, creamery	do.	246,172	170,575	104,138	134,981
Cheese:					
American Cheddar	do.	460,893	315,778	272,216	300,600
Swiss, including block	do.	7,551	5,189	8,437	14,212
All other varieties	do.	30,517	32,834	29,454	25,859
Total cheese	do.	498,961	353,801	310,107	340,671
Eggs:					
Shell	Case	1,610	852	1,004	1,055
Frozen eggs, total	Pound	170,720	134,218	119,273	151,344
Whites	do.	53,087	45,379	33,214	40,807
Yolks	do.	41,707	37,789	33,363	44,239
Whole or mixed	do.	68,375	46,056	48,902	61,134
Unclassified	do.	7,551	4,994	3,794	5,164
Total eggs (1) (case equivalent)	Case	6,026	4,250	4,024	4,886
Poultry, frozen:					
Broilers or fryers	Pound	16,029	14,564	24,612	24,204
Roasters	do.	5,268	2,414	9,916	9,133
Hens, fowls	do.	24,142	22,281	57,652	58,881
Turkeys	do.	63,516	80,314	67,688	65,240
Ducks	do.	6,619	2,788	3,230	4,816
Unclassified	do.	24,260	17,620	35,939	34,631
Total poultry	do.	139,834	139,981	199,037	196,905

(1) Frozen eggs converted on the basis of 39.5 pounds to the case.

Table 5. — End-of-month stocks of dairy and poultry products, by States
June 30, 1959

State	Cream		Creamery butter	American cheese	Shell eggs	Frozen eggs	Total poultry
	Fluid 1,000 pounds	Plastic 1,000 pounds					
Massachusetts	56		1,528	3,389	8	2,180	4,823
Other States			1,874	527	3	1,775	3,208
New England			3,402	3,916	11	3,955	8,031
New York	15,111	549	5,537	43,893	62	9,844	19,283
New Jersey	467		5,442	223	50	5,217	6,553
Pennsylvania	1,998	648	3,382	2,313	12	5,008	16,085
Middle Atlantic			14,361	46,429	124	20,069	41,921
Ohio	646		2,792	1,571	5	4,719	3,362
Indiana			1,518	207	1	3,354	697
Illinois			33,578	4,543	617	27,678	19,762
Michigan			2,628	2,101	16	4,099	4,972
Wisconsin			7,920	162,863	5	526	950
East North Central			48,436	171,285	644	40,376	29,743
Minnesota		248	39,822	16,188	6	2,151	4,360
Iowa			10,683	438	10	13,848	5,230
Missouri	94	57	3,403	34,133	17	28,699	11,176
Dakotas			625	174		817	37
Nebraska	45		813	49	29	6,231	11,249
Kansas			1,552	846	7	4,424	2,074
West North Central			56,898	51,828	69	56,170	34,126
South Atlantic			1,602	9,203	18	7,225	26,344
Kentucky			266	811		91	1,549
Tennessee			719	942	3	4,078	4,607
Ala. and Mississippi			266	1,234		298	3,782
East South Central			1,251	2,987	3	4,467	9,938
Arkansas and Louisiana			623	393	9	1,079	6,081
Oklahoma			826	238	1	1,990	1,039
Texas	19		1,117	1,792	10	6,803	4,958
West South Central			2,566	2,423	20	9,872	12,078
Colorado			817	81	3	867	1,616
Other States			524	1,675	6	315	4,282
Mountain			1,341	1,756	9	1,182	5,898
Washington			1,309	242	9	883	2,099
Oregon			133	7,124	1	292	1,696
California	13		3,682	3,407	147	6,853	25,031
Pacific			5,124	10,773	157	8,028	28,826
Other States (Cream only)	3,288	2,350					
United States	21,737	3,852	134,981	300,600	1,055	151,344	196,905

Table 6. -- End-of month stocks of meats and meat products

Net changes in stocks during June and comparisons:

Beef: Decreased by 22 million pounds; June 1958 change was an increase of 8 million pounds; average June change is a decrease of 11 million pounds.

Pork: Decreased by 77 million pounds; June 1958 decrease was 33 million pounds; average June decrease is 56 million pounds.

Other meats: Decreased by 14 million pounds; May 1958 decrease was 2 million pounds; average June decrease is 4 million pounds.

COMMODITY	June 1954-58 av. 1,000 pounds	June 1958 1,000 pounds	May 1959 1,000 pounds	June 1959 1,000 pounds
Beef:				
Frozen	106,831	96,305	155,645	132,709
In cure and cured	8,887	12,122	17,551	18,139
Total	115,718	108,427	173,196	150,848
Pork, frozen:				
Picnics	(1)	6,473	10,002	7,469
Hams	(1)	29,918	57,065	39,160
Bellies	(1)	62,679	121,125	89,702
Other frozen pork cuts	(1)	56,288	119,320	97,497
Total	243,205	155,358	307,512	233,828
Pork in cure or cured:				
Dry salt bellies	(1)	12,133	15,130	15,255
Other dry salt pork	(1)	8,055	10,130	6,790
Other pork cuts	(1)	34,390	32,588	32,367
Total	77,458	54,578	57,848	54,412
Total pork	320,663	209,936	365,360	288,240
Other meats and meat products:				
Veal, frozen	10,888	7,520	11,375	9,454
Lamb and mutton, frozen	9,009	11,995	15,730	15,102
Canned meats in cooler	62,827	57,625	80,859	69,052
Total all meats	519,105	395,503	646,520	532,696
Hides and pelts	83,763	92,899	56,593	60,165

(1) Not reported separately prior to 1957.

Table 7. --End-of-month stocks of frozen fishery products (1)

Species	June 1958	May 1959	June 1959
	<u>1,000 lb.</u>	<u>1,000 lb.</u>	<u>1,000 lb.</u>
Salt-water:			
Filletts and steaks:			
Blocks and slabs	6,738	9,996	9,716
Cod	6,179	11,579	11,384
Flounder	2,812	3,095	3,143
Haddock	5,800	11,337	11,250
Halibut	2,076	1,777	1,891
Ocean perch	7,427	6,352	8,819
Pollock	392	1,057	964
Salmon	285	385	325
Whiting (incl. split "butterfly")	1,649	1,193	1,689
Other filletts and steaks	6,435	6,709	6,349
Fish sticks or pieces (cooked & uncooked, all species) . .	4,011	5,694	5,808
Round, dressed, etc.:			
Halibut	14,078	10,518	17,989
Mackeral (except Spanish)	904	452	386
Sablefish	2,423	993	800
Salmon:			
King or chinook	1,803	2,191	3,002
Silver or coho	542	1,828	1,249
Chum or keta	274	488	400
Unclassified	441	745	890
Smelt	1,375	1,070	1,403
Swordfish	1,832	1,672	1,461
Tuna	380	1,969	1,779
Whiting, headed and gutted	4,580	4,561	6,205
Other salt-water fish (except bait)	13,352	15,521	16,943
Fresh-water:			
Filletts and steaks	442	764	654
Round, dressed, etc.:			
Chubs	319	826	1,056
Trout	1,157	1,417	1,307
Whitefish	1,340	830	810
Other fresh-water fish (except bait)	2,616	1,637	1,868
Bait and animal food (salt & fresh-water)	12,247	14,146	16,941
Shellfish:			
Crabs (incl. crab meat)	2,948	2,239	2,079
Lobster tails (spiny)	4,876	4,347	4,703
Oyster meats	1,201	1,226	1,139
Scallop meats .v.	1,399	1,104	1,676
Shrimp, raw and headless	10,664	21,137	19,287
All other	5,556	7,577	7,542
Squid	1,673	1,125	1,371
Other shellfish	2,350	1,695	1,762
Total frozen fish and shellfish	134,576	161,252	176,040
Cured fish	9,763	14,408	15,294
Total all fish and shell fish	144,339	175,660	191,334

(1) Data furnished by the Department of the Interior, Fish and Wildlife Service.

TABLE 8.

-- Cold storage holdings, by geographic regions, June 30, 1959

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
Fruits, frozen:	Pound										
Apples	do.	1,561	10,628	7,886	1,511	9,210	632	547	293	6,950	39,218
Apricots	do.	20	327	209	157	20	35	96	7	3,421	4,292
Blackberries	do.	75	1,141	731	846	360	758	1,169	142	2,746	7,968
Blueberries	do.	1,313	2,213	1,570	621	569	157	145	37	854	7,479
Boysenberries	do.	3	477	960	639	142	170	566	79	11,359	14,395
Cherries	do.	153	6,495	7,428	1,132	1,593	455	521	601	2,816	21,194
Grapes	do.	4	3,455	2,069	159	6	271	371	15	147	6,497
Peaches	do.	318	2,764	2,668	1,444	1,905	468	985	297	5,285	16,134
Red Raspberries	do.	739	2,394	1,028	1,040	132	144	219	145	2,622	8,463
Black Raspberries	do.	112	1,569	2,911	207	116	72	100	14	1,011	6,112
Strawberries	do.	4,360	13,557	15,068	10,329	6,362	12,103	9,593	983	116,658	189,013
Other frozen fruits	do.	823	7,318	4,862	1,862	4,107	749	1,305	1,212	10,458	32,696
TOTAL	do.	9,481	52,338	47,390	19,947	24,522	16,014	15,617	3,825	164,327	353,461
Juices, frozen:	do.										
Orange juice	do.	2,999	9,059	6,635	2,887	413,983	1,021	3,192	1,762	18,854	460,392
Other fruit juices and purees	do.	3,063	25,331	13,374	15,651	52,055	699	3,327	1,087	37,535	152,122
Vegetables, frozen:	do.										
Asparagus	do.	490	8,301	1,503	1,433	5,083	347	405	302	13,968	31,832
Beans, lima	do.	485	7,937	1,863	3,834	4,770	1,177	712	1,087	19,528	41,393
Beans, snap	do.	548	9,680	2,099	1,827	5,092	1,285	903	239	9,262	30,935
Broccoli	do.	658	5,593	1,400	1,451	2,586	778	861	377	28,153	41,857
Brussels sprouts	do.	116	2,154	598	2,244	723	295	406	230	4,799	11,565
Carrots	do.	36	3,596	1,568	486	1,428	239	162	43	6,400	13,958
Cauliflower	do.	295	2,399	445	1,419	1,027	209	410	209	4,552	10,965
Com	do.	330	5,157	1,141	3,599	1,945	508	742	523	7,237	21,182
Mixed vegetables	do.	116	2,421	905	1,822	871	289	407	196	6,508	13,535
Peas, green	do.	4,387	23,041	6,425	20,740	7,845	1,549	1,571	3,173	71,502	140,233
Peas and carrots, mixed	do.	83	1,928	612	1,332	542	198	424	138	5,535	10,792
Potatoes, french fried	do.	13,514	12,634	4,426	18,451	3,835	1,944	990	14,890	16,155	86,839
Spinach	do.	701	22,042	1,744	5,820	5,909	1,371	2,765	1,632	32,273	74,257
Other frozen vegetables	do.	1,536	10,841	5,179	4,537	14,113	6,048	4,412	1,794	10,585	59,045
TOTAL	do.	23,295	117,724	29,908	68,995	55,769	16,237	15,170	24,833	236,457	588,388
Fruits, vegetables and nuts:	do.										
Fresh grapes	do.	43	4,335	1,262	96	349	93	328	2	85	415
Other fresh fruits	do.	2,263	17,055	7,889	1,187	2,439	442	136	136	3,608	9,924
Dried and evaporated fruits	do.	32	674	52	2	317	1	401	582	5,733	38,495
Onions	do.			19	65	3		20			110
Celery	do.	4,192	8,227	1,570	1,552	1,370	36	1,615	1,766	14,245	34,573
Other fresh vegetables	do.	1,190	1,056	3,367	3,846	148,591	25,142	47,130	32	368	230,722
Peanut meats	do.	1,164	6,820	4,111	1,650	3,337	601	4,005	402	17,479	39,569
Other nut meats	do.		51	195	32	2,785	29	60	3	3	3,155
Peanuts, in shell	do.	655	4,291	1,857	3,444	8,785	42	5,643	209	17,805	42,731
Other nuts, in shell	do.	15	197	139	6	35	13	5		1,157	1,567
Fresh apples	Bushel										
Fresh pears	Boxes										

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TABLE 8. -- Cold storage holdings, by geographic regions, June 30, 1959 -- Continued

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
Dairy products and eggs:											
Cream (not including plastic)	Pound	788	17,576	1,899	1,066	184		77	92	55	21,737
Cream, plastic	do.	956	1,197	496	305	493		30	282	93	3,852
Butter, creamery	do.	3,402	14,361	48,436	56,898	1,602	1,251	2,566	1,341	5,124	134,981
Cheese, Natural, American	do.	3,916	46,429	171,285	51,828	9,203	2,987	2,423	1,756	10,773	300,600
Cheese, Swiss	do.	5	442	10,252	1,359	42	5	642	1,432	33	14,212
Cheese, Other natural varieties	do.	327	8,336	15,291	247	293	97	206	43	1,019	25,859
Eggs, shell	Case	11	124	644	69	18	3	20	9	157	1,055
Eggs, frozen	Pound	3,955	20,069	40,376	56,170	7,225	4,467	9,872	1,182	8,028	151,344
Poultry, frozen:											
Broilers or fryers	do.	614	3,204	1,262	2,592	5,513	1,078	4,285	178	5,478	24,204
Roasters	do.	1,489	1,375	1,396	676	659	554	588	946	1,450	9,133
Hens, fowls	do.	1,890	15,433	9,329	15,688	8,599	1,812	1,543	196	4,391	58,881
Turkeys	do.	2,177	13,021	10,626	10,883	6,449	1,870	4,471	3,914	11,829	65,240
Ducks	do.	631	1,400	1,318	311	239	67	168	41	641	4,816
Unclassified	do.	1,230	7,488	5,812	3,976	4,885	4,557	1,023	623	5,037	34,631
TOTAL											
	do.	8,031	41,921	29,743	34,126	26,344	9,938	12,078	5,898	28,826	196,905
Meats, meat products and fish:											
Beef, frozen	do.	10,017	24,313	28,656	22,558	4,709	2,699	10,926	2,859	25,972	132,709
Beef, in cure or cured	do.		7,294	3,694	2,325	1,288	692	660	782	1,404	18,139
Pork, frozen:											
Picnics	do.	219	599	2,476	2,548	475	256	378	242	276	7,469
Hams	do.	1,315	3,647	13,834	15,757	1,720	865	1,102	406	514	39,160
Bellies	do.	326	2,045	34,617	39,519	5,471	4,232	1,488	966	1,038	89,702
Other frozen pork cuts	do.	2,271	9,633	31,611	34,779	6,523	3,152	4,652	1,168	3,708	97,497
Pork, in cure or cured:											
Dry salt bellies	do.		120	2,320	10,828	1,071	444	239	50	183	15,255
Other dry salt pork	do.		410	1,057	4,309	799	154	51	8	2	6,790
Other pork cuts	do.	1	3,410	7,832	12,580	4,557	684	986	687	1,630	32,367
Veal, frozen	do.	811	2,910	2,113	963	468	278	748	125	1,038	9,454
Lamb and mutton, frozen	do.	998	5,656	3,959	1,303	256	145	958	79	1,748	15,102
Canned meats in cooler	do.	598	13,481	16,069	33,095	951	12	1,545	1,376	1,925	69,052
TOTAL											
	do.	16,556	73,518	148,238	180,564	28,288	13,613	23,733	8,748	39,438	532,696
Hides and pelts											
Fish, frozen	do.	2,253	2,157	9,588	36,354	1,543	537	4,239	849	2,645	60,165
	do.	46,472	36,730	16,518	5,540	8,882	10,116	2,529	2,079	(1)47,174	176,040

(1) Includes fish in Alaska.

Table 9. --Commodities stored in public general cold storage warehouses,
May 31, 1959

Cooler commodities	Net Weight	Freezer commodities	Net Weight
	<u>1,000 pounds</u>		<u>1,000 pounds</u>
Apples	17,424	Cream	14,821
Pears	4,250	Butter, creamery	90,014
Other fresh fruits	7,105	Eggs	108,042
Fresh vegetables	53,510	Poultry	181,690
Dried & Evap. fruits	37,700		
Nutmeats	192,995	Fruits	213,365
Nuts in shell	30,445	Juices	265,231
Other dairy products	18,889		
Cheese	149,653	Vegetables	409,066
Shell eggs	36,598		
		Beef	130,430
Beef	5,978	Pork	211,020
Pork	3,626	Other meats	21,525
Canned meats	38,059		
Fish	12,851	Fish	130,426
Miscellaneous	180,756	Miscellaneous	138,608
Total	789,839	Total	1,914,238

Table 10. --End-of-month stocks of certain commodities in storage owned by the
Government (1)

Commodity	Unit	June 1954-58 av.	June 1958	May 1959	June (2) 1959
		<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>
Butter, creamery	lb.	183,009	110,207	52,628	67,390
American Cheddar cheese	do.	236,359	95,878	12,677	21,699
Pork	do.	9,149	5,222	4,885	1,813
Beef	do.	9,897	2,265	2,405	1,108

(1) Government holdings are included in the tables of total holdings elsewhere in the report and consist of reported stocks held by USDA, the Armed Services, and other Government agencies. In addition to stocks reported above, Armed Services hold some stocks in space owned and operated by them on which figures are not available.

(2) Based on actual reports. Estimates on late reports are not included. Current figures will be revised next month.

TABLE 11.-- End-of-month space and occupancy in public general warehouses in selected cities

City (1)	Net piling space reported (2)		Percentage of net piling space occupied							
			May 1958		June 1958		May 1959		June 1959	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
New England:										
Boston	1,891	3,655	93	63	90	64	74	65	76	68
Middle Atlantic:										
New York	4,837	7,833	72	63	73	64	77	65	76	66
Jersey City	3,532	5,896	64	66	44	67	61	60	53	65
Buffalo	1,214	1,562	46	71	45	90	42	65	40	70
Rochester	2,089	1,606	29	47	27	46	20	51	18	53
Philadelphia	1,506	6,353	44	63	52	63	59	63	65	69
Pittsburgh	1,238	2,274	53	64	60	54	35	63	37	66
E. N. Central:										
Cleveland	(3)	(3)	42	48	43	56	40	58	(3)	(3)
Cincinnati	369	1,569	67	56	85	59	62	75	71	74
Chicago	10,655	12,987	48	63	47	65	58	77	61	79
Detroit	3,311	3,937	46	60	48	62	56	65	55	66
Milwaukee	837	1,547	70	69	67	69	45	70	82	74
W. N. Central:										
Minn.-St. Paul	959	3,754	66	74	78	76	85	90	78	92
St. Louis	3,508	3,886	57	46	55	44	73	69	73	64
Kansas City	9,004	7,351	76	73	73	75	27	86	28	86
South Atlantic:										
Baltimore & D. C.	776	4,539	64	52	60	47	74	66	67	68
Richmond	874	434	73	76	67	76	66	80	67	80
Norfolk	(3)	(3)	90	74	89	71	88	89	(3)	(3)
E. S. Central:										
Nashville	917	1,787	61	69	54	74	53	87	53	88
Memphis	118	1,716	58	54	70	48	54	49	83	47
W. S. Central:										
New Orleans	1,052	1,996	50	42	47	53	45	57	46	59
Dallas	3,591	3,705	38	42	35	48	52	50	56	49
Ft. Worth	872	1,117	41	28	43	26	88	50	91	45
Pacific:										
Seattle	212	1,407	78	44	76	53	33	62	62	69
Portland	251	4,176	32	29	51	66	32	29	47	48
Los Angeles	3,228	8,597	75	69	76	71	86	78	85	74
San Francisco	1,136	2,640	47	65	41	75	61	86	63	87
San Jose	2,405	3,729	30	45	32	50	21	41	22	39
Modesto	512	3,811	9	53	51	73	2	68	14	74

- (1) Space shown includes public warehouses located in the Metropolitan area.
 (2) Space reported to USDA and temperatures at which it was held June 30, 1959.
 (3) Insufficient returns received from this city.

TABLE 12.-- End-of-month space and occupancy in public general refrigerated warehouses

State or geographic region	Net piling space reported (1) June 1959		Percentage of net piling space occupied							
			June 1954-58 av.		June 1958		May 1959		June 1959	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
Maine, N. H. and Vt.	345	1,615	55	56	59	53	49	64	52	68
Massachusetts	3,026	5,506	73	68	80	63	69	67	72	61
R. I. and Connecticut . . .	453	629	54	58	43	57	37	58	22	55
New England	3,824	7,750	69	65	73	60	62	65	64	62
New York	19,096	19,187	44	62	38	59	39	57	39	58
New Jersey	3,794	7,120	62	69	43	60	59	56	50	60
Pennsylvania	4,189	8,739	60	75	50	63	42	70	47	73
Middle Atlantic	27,079	35,046	50	66	41	60	42	60	42	62
Ohio	2,672	5,290	60	73	51	58	48	68	47	69
Indiana	803	1,286	74	67	68	58	60	81	58	72
Illinois	13,442	13,857	69	75	46	65	60	77	62	79
Michigan	4,711	5,685	63	69	42	55	45	54	46	55
Wisconsin	6,892	2,633	76	75	59	67	46	68	58	68
East North Central	28,520	28,751	69	73	50	61	53	70	57	71
Minnesota	1,268	4,952	80	79	68	71	71	82	68	83
Iowa	500	3,122	71	70	63	57	66	71	70	74
Missouri	3,820	7,221	69	69	52	58	53	75	62	71
Dakotas and Nebraska . . .	728	4,070	76	68	56	68	71	81	74	79
Kansas	9,228	7,697	66	71	72	72	29	79	28	82
West North Central	15,544	27,062	69	71	65	65	41	78	43	78
Delaware, Maryland & D.C.	776	4,759	67	49	60	47	71	64	67	67
Virginia and West Va. . . .	7,106	1,541	34	71	21	65	26	73	24	75
North and South Carolina . .	507	1,162	61	74	62	65	64	75	66	76
Georgia	3,403	2,327	83	82	77	73	91	84	89	88
Florida	1,366	9,660	75	72	67	62	63	74	64	76
South Atlantic	13,158	19,449	57	67	45	61	51	73	49	75
Kentucky	836	1,499	70	68	40	46	36	80	37	83
Tennessee	1,795	5,641	79	74	59	61	65	62	71	68
Alabama and Mississippi . . .	1,790	2,447	65	76	54	66	60	82	61	84
East South Central	4,421	9,587	73	73	52	60	58	70	61	74
Arkansas	210	1,722	44	64	32	43	17	66	24	63
Louisiana	1,197	2,418	69	71	52	60	50	62	51	63
Oklahoma	610	913	62	75	56	65	73	66	83	67
Texas	6,603	6,956	56	52	40	44	62	53	67	51
West South Central	8,620	12,009	58	57	42	49	60	58	65	56
Mountain	1,774	5,969	60	64	62	57	68	65	65	64
Washington	994	10,341	28	42	22	58	35	40	40	49
Oregon	1,007	8,366	36	55	20	58	34	22	35	41
California	11,984	25,334	43	68	46	67	47	69	50	69
Pacific	13,985	44,041	41	60	42	63	45	54	48	59
United States (3)	116,925	189,664	58	67	49	61	49	65	51	67

(1) Space reported to USDA and temperatures at which it was held June 30, 1959.

(2) Preliminary.

(3) Weighted average of the occupancy for geographic regions based on the corresponding net piling space.

Table 13. --United States refrigerated usable piling space, October 1, 1957 1/

State or geographic region	Type of Warehouse							
	Public general		Private & semiprivate general		Meat-packing plants		Apple houses	
	0° F. or below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.	0° F. or below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.	0° F. or below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.	0° F. or below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.
	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.
Maine.....	1,656	357	654	-	-	-	-	918
New Hampshire.....	(253	(22	(62	(69	-	-	(5	(1,940
Vermont.....	((((-	-	((
Massachusetts.....	(10,320	(4,109	(843	(285	-	-	(14	(4,367
Rhode Island.....	((((-	-	((
Connecticut.....	1,065	140	-	-	-	-	2	2,701
New England.....	13,294	4,628	1,559	354	-	-	21	9,926
New York.....	22,455	21,325	2,458	6,256	722	2,191	458	16,904
New Jersey.....	11,078	4,577	2,296	569	-	-	28	2,821
Pennsylvania.....	10,062	4,954	2,859	1,401	259	850	599	6,371
Middle Atlantic...	43,595	30,856	7,613	8,226	981	3,041	1,085	26,096
Ohio.....	7,967	4,220	217	197	95	1,572	14	923
Indiana.....	2,495	628	(3,254	(3,172	400	295	(31	(1,830
Illinois.....	14,406	14,768	(	(	784	2,564	((
Michigan.....	8,126	5,439	3,106	3,389	(1,173	(1,204	(64	(9,227
Wisconsin.....	5,680	5,026	383	6,648	((((
East North Central	38,674	30,081	6,960	13,106	2,452	5,635	109	11,980
Minnesota.....	5,479	1,317	2,575	68	1,462	1,076	((
Iowa.....	4,197	692	734	395	1,797	2,292	((
Missouri.....	(9,695	(5,105	123	1,278	(778	(2,199	((
North Dakota.....	(	(	-	-	(	(	(1/	(1/
South Dakota.....	(4,000	(769	-	-	(1,277	(4,524	((
Nebraska.....	(	(	(310	(203	((((
Kansas.....	7,761	9,597	(	(	665	1,853	((
West North Central	31,132	17,480	3,742	1,944	5,979	11,944	1/	1/
Delaware.....	405	244	(1,449	(6	1/	1/	((
Maryland & D. C.....	5,012	821	(	(	1/	1/	((
Virginia.....	2,549	5,468	816	4,662	(43	(184	(1/	(1/
West Virginia.....	552	805	578	338	(	(	(1/	(1/
North Carolina.....	(1,591	(711	(133	(194	-	-	((
South Carolina.....	(	(	(	(	(439	(623	((
Georgia.....	3,236	3,988	192	245	((((
Florida.....	14,366	1,342	13,701	281	-	-	((
South Atlantic...	27,711	13,379	16,869	5,726	526	1,040	891	18,209
Kentucky.....	1,499	1,056	115	169	(253	(467	((
Tennessee.....	5,088	2,109	715	43	(	(	(1/	(1/
Alabama.....	(2,524	(1,989	(24	(429	1/	1/	(1/	(1/
Mississippi.....	((((-	-	((
East South Central	9,111	5,154	854	641	1/	1/	1/	1/
Arkansas.....	2,045	315	1/	1/	-	-	((
Louisiana.....	3,299	1,096	149	52	-	-	(1/	(1/
Oklahoma.....	1,210	689	63	118	449	2,121	(1/	(1/
Texas.....	10,777	5,004	388	1,277	997	1,084	((
West South Central	17,331	7,104	1/	1/	1,446	3,205	1/	1/
Montana.....	147	134	1/	1/	1/	1/	((
Idaho & Wyoming.....	1,282	253	765	126	(208	(380	((
Colorado.....	2,094	1,722	1/	1/	(	(	(1/	(1/
New Mexico.....	(538	(135	1/	1/	-	-	((
Arizona.....	(	(	-	-	1/	1/	((
Utah & Nevada.....	1,764	347	1/	1/	1/	1/	((
Mountain.....	5,825	2,591	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Washington.....	11,224	2,418	5,058	1,722	484	527	1,698	70,849
Oregon.....	7,639	1,738	5,159	881	(260	(1,374	(108	(14,989
California.....	32,306	11,761	7,025	15,267	((((
Pacific.....	51,169	15,917	17,242	17,870	744	1,901	1,806	85,838
United States.....	237,842	127,190	56,478	50,108	12,716	27,961	3,915	153,527

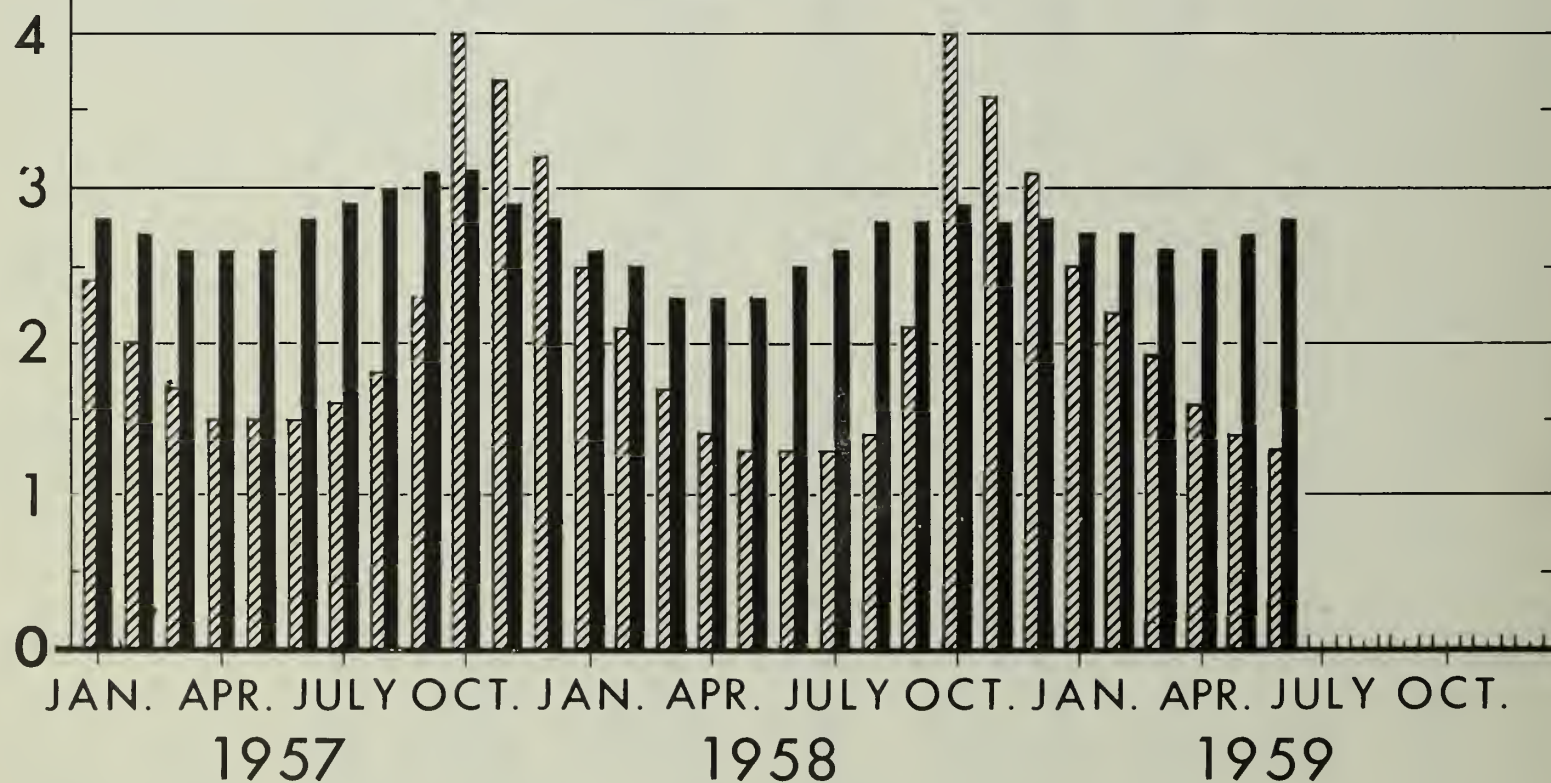
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OFFICIAL BUSINESS

NET WEIGHT OF REFRIGERATED COMMODITIES

BIL. LB.

Cooler  Freezer



END OF MONTH